

President Johnson Issues American League Budget—Averages of Indianapolis Bowling Leagues.

BROKE UP IN A FIGHT

**FRANKLIN-M. T. H. S. FOOTBALL
GAME ON FRANKLIN FIELD.**

**Franklin Made the Only Touchdown—
Statements Regarding the Trouble
—All Relations Are Off.**

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

FRANKLIN, Ind., Oct. 25.—One of the most spirited of contests ever played on Franklin field was the first part of the football game this afternoon by the Manual Training High School, of Indianapolis, and Franklin College teams. Only twenty minutes of the game was played, as the M. T. H. S. team withdrew from the field, but that twenty minutes was enough to demonstrate that, although M. T. H. S. played a hard, snappy game, it was clearly outclassed at every point by the collegians, the visitors winning only twice in making their required five.

The feature of Franklin's game was Branigan's successful place kick from the forty-yard line. Branigan played a fine game all half, going through the opponent's line at will, while the tackles, Silver and Tinch, were invincible. Webb and Miller both made long gains around the ends. Fessler, Steele and Bonham played the best game for the visitors.

Franklin won the toss and chose the south goal. Steele kicked off to Franklin's ten-yard line, where the ball was downed. After several line plays for small gains Webb went around the end for fifteen yards. Branigan and Miller advanced the ball fifteen yards, followed by Webb's run around the end for twenty. After losing ten yards on a fumble Branigan made a place kick from the forty-yard line. Steele kicked off from the twenty-five-yard line to Silver. Silver returned the ball twenty yards by a clever run. Webb and Branigan went around the end for fifteen yards.

each, followed by Silver, who hit the line for two. Branigan broke through the line for a gain of twenty yards, followed by Miller, who carried the ball through the line for four yards, after which Branigan went through for a touchdown. Branigan kicked goal, making the score 11-0. Steele kicked off to the five-yard line. Franklin returned the ball twenty-five yards by line plays and then lost the ball on a fumble. After making ten yards on an end run M. T. H. S. was held for downs. Here Franklin was penalized for an off-side

yards. After advancing the ball thirty-five yards Franklin again lost the ball on a fumble. After two ineffectual attempts to advance the ball Warren punted twenty-five yards. Miller hit the line for three yards, after which Branigan went through

In the scrimmage Roach asserts he saw the referee, Mr. Brangan, with his knickerbocker and attempting to knock him off before precipitated a fight, which was stopped before it could develop into a riot. Mr. R. said he was officiating as referee, then ordered the M. T. H. S. players off the field and called the game off. Mr. Brangan, however, declared the game forfeited for Franklin's refusal of the M. T. H. S. to continue. In the afternoon, Mr. Hall said he was personally responsible for the forfeit of the M. T. H. S. players and that he took them from the game on account of the "unnecessary" roughness of the game being played. There is a general feeling of regret among the students and faculty that the game was called off, although it is the consensus of opinion that the "unnecessary" roughness of the game was the cause of the forfeit. Mr. Hall's action. Line-up:

Franklin.	Position.	M. T. H. S.
Bryan.	Left end	Fessler
Silver	Left tackle	Steele
Thompson.	Left guard	Glass
Roach.	Center	West
Pritchard.	Right guard	Rothermel
Wright.	Right tackle	Fortune
Webb.	Right end	Bonham
Waggener.	Quarter	Sheldahl
Miller.	Left half	Warren
Timpane.	Right half	Ward
Jewett.	Full back	Dougan
Lineemen—Pickett and Shields, Timekeepers—Abbot and Jordan, Referee—R. Hall, Umpire—L. M. Middleton.		

AS THE MANUALS WERE IN THE HANDS OF THE PLAYERS.

Very Rough Treatment by Franklin

Alleged by Local Men

E. H. K. McComb, manager of the Franklin Training School, and **C. E. Emmerich**, principal of the same school, were indignant over the way the Franklin players treated the High School boys at Franklin yesterday, and declared that all athletic relations with that college will end with the riotous game of yesterday. Prof. Emmerich speaks of the actions of the Franklin players as gross discourtesy and unsportsmanlike. Manager McComb, speaking of the affair, said:

The Training School boys have always been good sportsmen. They have been by college teams throughout the State, except at Franklin. There was trouble in the game last year and in the baseball game last spring. We hoped to receive better treatment this year, but what we got yesterday was worse than had ever been given to us from our school at any place. The Franklin boys were the aggressors.

vantage of the fact that they were heavier and stronger, and turned the game into a slugging match early in the contest. We went there to play football, not to fight.

"When we arrived in Franklin we had to

and our way to the gymnasium. The boys' uniforms were not changed to provide dressing rooms for our players or baths for them after the game. M. T. Franklin, who was the star of the football, after a few minutes of play, Franklin's full back, I believe, made a touchdown, and then, after a short run, by hard line bucking, scored a touchdown and kicked goal. Our boys took a short rest, and then the game resumed. Franklin players began their rowdy tactics and slugged right and left. One of the Franklin players, who was a star player, but the Franklin umpire paid no heed to the infringement of the rules. M. T. Franklin, who was the star player, tried to penalize the Franklin player, but this the umpire refused to do. The umpire was very lenient and did not see any more slugging. After that every line-up witnessed slugging on the part of some of the Franklin players. The Franklin players held our ends, and other portions of the

rules were plainly evident all the time. Toward the last of the second half one of the players picked Tom Shideler up by his hair, and the Franklin men dropped the ball to engage in what they thought would be a fight. Steele picked up the ball and ran to the goal line, but as I had consented to Referee Hall calling the game the touchdown was not allowed.

Our treatment at Franklin was such that we could not stay overnight and we came back to Indianapolis leaving our own expenses and not even asking for our share of the receipts."

Second Team Beaten at Knightstown.
Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

Knightstown Shamrocks defeated Indianapolis Manual Training School second team to-day by the score of 37 to 0.

Football Notes.

The Colonial second team defeated the Eleven-streets by a score of 10 to 0. The Colonials' first team will play the Anderson team at Anderson next week.

The Indianapolis Academy second football team defeated the State-street eleven yesterday afternoon by a score of 10 to 5. The defensive work of the academy team was very good. "Dug" Dean, an old player of the Shortridge High School, is coaching the academy squad. The Indianapolis Academy seconds will meet the Little Mapletons on the grounds at Fairview Park.